

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INQUIRY INTO UNIVERSAL)	ADMINISTRATIVE
SERVICE AND FUNDING ISSUES)	CASE NO. 360

O R D E R

On February 18, 1997, GTE South Incorporated ("GTE") filed a motion for the Commission to compel AT&T of the South Central States, Inc. ("AT&T") to produce documents and data concerning: (1) AT&T's Transport Incremental Cost Model ("TICM"); (2) the documentation reviewed and relied upon by the Hatfield engineering team in establishing the default values in Hatfield Model 5.0 ("HM 5.0"); (3) the underlying geocoding information, databases and software used in HM 5.0; (4) the documentation relied upon for changes from HM 3.1 to HM 5.0; (5) the documents AT&T used in costing out local loops in connection with its normal business operations; (6) documents concerning the Hatfield Model's Network Operations Factor; and (7) an illustration of a cluster containing an odd number of branch cables.

The Commission concurs with GTE that the information requested may be vital to this proceeding. GTE has represented to the Commission that this information does exist and has been made available to GTE in other jurisdictions.

Moreover, the Commission finds that a formal conference with presentations by cost model supporters may assist it in this proceeding.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

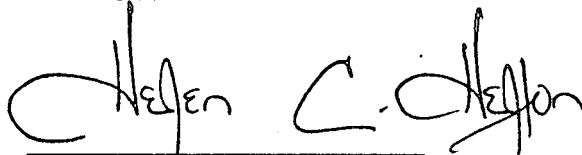
1. GTE's Motion to Compel shall be granted.
2. Within 5 days of the date of this Order, AT&T shall file supplemental responses to GTE's Data Request Nos. 1-15, 20-24, 54, 59, 88-91, 93 96-101, and 103.
3. A formal conference shall begin at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, on March 3, 1998, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 730 Schenkel Lane in Frankfort, Kentucky. The hearing shall commence at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, on March 4, 1998.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of February, 1998.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director